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I also greatly appreciated the chance to discuss these issues.

Thanks for your time.

Richard

On Mar 29, 2013, at 2:00 PM, "Lisa Evans" <levans@earthjustice.org> wrote:

> Dear Regional Administrator Enck:

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> I would also like to thank you and your staff for yesterday's meeting. We appreciate the work the Region has done to date to investigate the harm posed to citizens of Puerto Rico and their environment by the unsafe use and disposal of coal ash.

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> As we discussed yesterday, it would be tremendously helpful if your office could share the technical report containing the results of the LEAF test with other EPA regional offices currently facing similar problems. Since the disposal of coal ash poses potential threats in most states, distribution to all regions would be the most helpful. At minimum, I know that Regions 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, and 10 are currently facing problems involving coal ash disposal and reuse and would immediately benefit by this information-sharing.

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> Thank you in advance for circulating the report. I look forward to future discussions with you regarding this pressing problem.

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> Sincerely,  
> Lisa Evans

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> Dear Ms.Enck and Staff,

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> It was a pleasure to meet with you and your staff yesterday. Attached are the documents requested, specifically, the AES letter to the Municipality of Guayama and the Statement (Ponencia) of Comité Dialogo Ambiental, Inc. concerning proposed legislation on coal ash pending before the Puerto Rico Senate. With respect to the contractors who have used most of the coal ash, in addition to Engineer Juan Rodríguez-Claudio, AES Puerto Rico, L.P. was the contractor in 2 large projects, the AES water well field site and a road construction site in Guayama. A company known as Vives Construction, owned by Guillermo Lopez has also used the ash in various construction projects, as well as the Municipality of Guayama prior to adopting the Ordinance prohibiting its use in the Municipality.

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> Please let me know if you require any further information.

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> Cordially,

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